IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Jay S. Walker et al.

Application No. 09/049,297

Filed: March 27, 1998

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR For:

> TRACKING AND ESTABLISHING A PROGRESSIVE DISCOUNT BASED UPON A CUSTOMER'S VISITS TO A

RETAIL ESTABLISHMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

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OUT Pursuant to the Petition to Accept Retroactive Payment of Fees (the Petition") filed herewith, Applicants submit this fee payment authorization for the above identified application.

As discussed in the Petition, Applicants have decided to change their fee status in this case as of July 1, 1999. Since that time, the following small entity fees have been paid in this application:

10/29/99

Independent Claims in Excess of Three

\$429.00

FEE PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION

Attorney Docket No. 98-007

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The PTO is hereby authorized to charge \$619.00 to Applicant's Deposit Account No. 50-0271. Applicant also authorizes the PTO to charge any other fees which may be due in connection with this request to Deposit Account No. 50-0271. This request is provided in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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